

PRESIDENT TAFT IN PORTLAND ORE

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Left Lowell Three Years Ago.

Lowell, Mass., Oct. 2.—Arthur G. Wright, who was arrested at Portland, Ore., yesterday, left Lowell for Seattle three years ago. Where he has been since is not stated. He is a draughtsman. Wright was born in

The president was leaving his hotel caused his apprehension by the police. When the man, who gave his name as Arthur G. Wright, was searched, a revolver and an extra supply of ammunition was found upon him.

Mr. Taft was about to enter his motor in front of the Portland hotel on Saturday morning when Police Captain Bailey was attracted by the peculiar actions of the man in the crowd. He had a camera in his hand

and was vainly trying to reach a point of vantage close to the president. Summoning two detectives Captain Bailey placed the man under arrest. When he was searched a pistol was found upon him and a quantity of extra ammunition.

The man gave the name of Arthur G. Wright and his age as 28 years. He said that he arrived from Lowell Center, Mass., on Tuesday night, and was accustomed to carrying a pistol. He could not explain his possession of a

He said he was a draftsman in the employ of the C. W. & F. Smith Iron company of Roxbury, Mass., and that his mother lived in Billerica, Mass., and his father at Lowell. He declared he had been on a three months' pleasure trip, and that he was now in California, will lack my earnest support to make it more influential, whenever opportunity offers."

President Starts for Sacramento.

The president's train left at 6:15 p. m., over the Southern Pacific railroad.

<p>CAPT. J. E. BERNIER COMES OUT OF THE NORTH. Return of Another Arctic Explorer—</p>	<p>CANNIBALISM IN ICY WASTES OF THE FAR NORTH Starving Eskimo Made Mad by Hun-</p>
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Went from Canada. North Sydney, Oct. 2.—Still another Arctic explorer has come out of the north. Returning from a voyage of Arctic exploration in behalf of the Canadian government during which

supplies were carried to Dr. Cook, Capt. J. E. Bernier on the ship *Arctic* is reported from Point Amour, in the Strait of Belle Isle, as having left that place for Quebec. The message from Point Amour contains no mention of the possible accompaniments of the French-arrived with the crew of the lost Dundee whaler *Paradox*.

The Hudson Bay mounted police through despatches brought by the *Adventure* the cannibalism of a starving Eskimo. The man's fishing and hunting season had been a failure and

The expedition also carried to the north for Dr. Cook a quantity of supplies entrusted to the Canadian government by friends of Dr. Cook at a time when fears for his safety had been aroused by an absence of communication. Dr. Cook, driven mad by hunger, he cut the throat of one of his children and then ate the little victim. When the man's neighbors learned of the horrible crime they attacked him according to the primitive law of their race. The outcast fled to the shelter of his igloo.

tion from the Brooklyn doctor. It had been feared, as it actually happened, that Dr. Cook might be cut off from his supply base. Although he managed to make his return to Etah safely, Dr. Cook sent the Canadian government recently a formal thanks for her having

used the Arctic for his relief. not known.

TOOK BICHLORIDE OF MERCURY. **STARTED OUT TO FLY**

Suicide of Army Recruiting Officer at **FROM GOVERNOR'S ISLAND.**

North Adams, Mass. Glenn H. Curtiss Gave It Up on Ac-

North Adams, Mass., Oct. 3.—Lieut. O. W. Baird, 28 years old, a recruiting officer in the United States army, who has been stationed here and at Springfield for the past year or more, committed suicide at his boarding house tonight by taking bleichloride of mercury.

The suicide left a note asking that his father, Dr. W. C. Baird, of Beaumont, Tex., be notified, the note closing with the words:

"Here goes a misspent life. May God forgive me."

Among the effects of the soldier were found papers which indicate that he thought he was in danger of being punished for some infraction of discipline. He returned but a day or two ago from attendance at the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

FIREBUG AT MILFORD.
Attempt to Burn Livery Stable of George Smith.
Milford, Conn., Oct. 3.—An attempt

To burn the livery stable of George Smith of this place, was frustrated early today by the discovery of the blaze by the night watchman before it had gained much headway. When the blaze, which was at the back of the barn, had been extinguished a pile of

burial and shavings soaked in oil were found and also a bottle half full of kerosene. In the barn at the time were about thirty horses and a large number of vehicles. Two weeks ago an icehouse was set on fire and burned to the ground and it is thought that

TWO BROTHERS DROWNED.
Canoe Capsized While They Were
Posing for Their Pictures.

Amesbury, Mass., Oct. 2.—While posing in a canoe to have their pictures taken, Joseph Manahan, aged 24, and his brother Frederick, aged 17, were captured and drowned in Lake Gardner today in full view of Miss Bella

The balloon was piloted by William Van Sleet of Pittsfield and carried as passengers Waldo Johnstone and F. Ambrose Clark of Cooperstown, N. Y. The distance traveled is 77 miles in 4 1/2 hours.

Yale Annual Matriculation Sermon.
New Haven, Conn., Oct. 3.—President Hadley of Yale university delivered his

Eight Men Killed in Mine Accident.
Roslyn, Wash., Oct. 3.—Eight men were killed and several seriously injured in an explosion in a shaft of

6 a. m. today and close at 2 p. m. in all but the first district. In the first district the polls close at 3 o'clock. Northwestern Improvement company's mine today. The mine was still burning tonight and another explosion is feared.